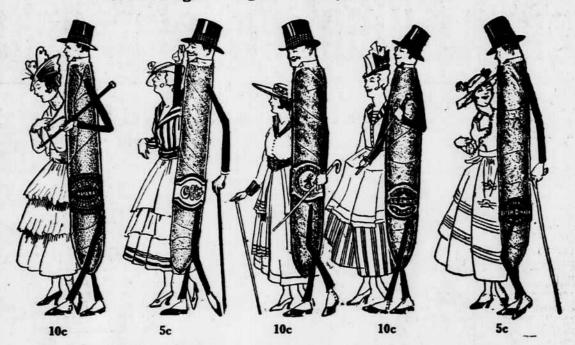
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COLUMBIA WINS OUT LEHIGH TRIMS NAVY A. N. AKIN REPEATS

Team, 5 to 4.

EVEN BREAK IN SINGLES MIDDIES SCORE ONE RUN BEATS BEST FIELD OF 1916

Match in Doubles for Chevy Chase, 6-3, 4-6, 7-5.

The weather man slipped a cog in his wheel of the seasons yesterday afternoon and permitted shivering young spring to slide gently but grace- hit the ball hard and timely today and fully into the lap of winter. The won from the Annapolis Midshipmen weather which greeted the opening matches of the newly organized Washington Tennis Association might be termed by a Scotsman a "wee bit dour." has visited Annapolis this season. However, the weather, unless it rains, Lehigh landed on Blodgett, the Middoes not stop the racketers, and on this dies' favorite twirler, for a total of

The match between the teams of the low gave way to Kennedy. It was the Chevy Chase Club and the Columbia latter's first appearance in a game this Country Club was played on the courts year, and he held the visitors to three at Columbus, the latter winning by the hits in the remaining four innings. core of 5 to 4, each winning three in Blodgett has been going along good, singles. In the doubles Columbia won but he was hit harder today than at

singles. In the doubles Columbia won two and Chevy Chase one.

Dudley Morgan, playing No. 1 for Chevy Chase, was defeated by "Connie" B. Doyle, the Columbia lead-off man, f-1, 6-2, in an interesting match, featured by Doyle's hard hitting. In the first set the players had not yet warmed up to their work, but in the second both showed a better brand of tennis, the District champion being inclined to take chances, which, however, did not do much harm, as he was entirely too fast for Morgan. "Connie" does not hit the ball a great deal harder than many men. He does, however, watch the ball right onto his racket, and perhaps this in a measure explains his great speed and accuracy.

On an adjoining court J. Upshur Moorhead of Chev'y Chase was beaten by "Roi" Doyle, 6-1, 6-2, the wet explains his great speed and accuracy.
On an adjoining court J. Upshur Moorhead of Chevy Chase was beaten by "Rol" Doyle, 6—1, 6—3, the wet conditions seeming to favor the Co-

lumbia man's chop strokes.

Ashmead Fuller, one of Chevy Chase's star performers, was beaten by E. O. Leech, Columbia, 3—6. 6—3, 8—6, while Cuthbert Brown. Chevy Chase, beat A. Y. Leech, 6—2, 6—4. James Karrick, Chevy Chase, beat C. A. Slater, Columbia, 6—2, 1—6, 11—9, and Walter Dunlop, Chevy Chase, defeated H. T. Shannon, Columbia, 7—5, 6—4.

Doubles Very Interesting.

The doubles provided a fine exhibition of first-class tennis, the match between Moorhead and Fuller of Chevy Chase and Doyle and Doyle of Columbia, and Doyle and Doyle of Columbia, which was won by the latter pair at \$5-6, 6-4, being hard fought all the way. Other doubles results were: Chapman and Slater, Columbia, defeated Morgan and Karrick, Chevy Chase, 7-5, 7-5. Brown and Dunlop, Chevy Chase, defeated Leech and Leech. Columbia, 6-3, 4-6, 7-5.

The soggy condition of the courts at Dumbarton prevented the match between the home team and that of the Departmental League. It is expected the match will be played Tuesday at 3 o'clock on the Dumbarton courts.

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PAVEMENTS

SKIDDY

Defeats Chevy Chase Club's Blodgett Is Driven From Box Trotter's Four-Year-Old Wins by Fusillade of Hits.

lies in Six Innings-Rawle

Proves a Puzzle

Brown and Dunlop Capture Only | Bethlehem Boys Garner Eight Tal- | Sir Edgar Runs Into Second Place, With Top o' the Morning

Philadelphia Handicap.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 22. - The base ball team of Lehigh University Edward Trotter's four-year-old A. N by the decisive score of 8 to 1. Incidentally, South Bethlehem presented the strongest teams that away with H. G. Bedwell's Sir Edgar in ten hits, which included three doubles, second place and Top o' the Morning and after the fifth stanza the big felstart this season, and he showed a firstclass performance, but evidently was short. Top o the Morning was off well, and quickly took the lead. He shower the way to the turn for home, with Si Edgar, A. N. Akin and Prince Henry in a close bunch following. Straightened for the run home, Top o' the Morning shortened his stride, and A. N. Akin closing strong on the outside, soon has the big horse in difficulty. A furlong out A. N. Akin had his field whippe and successfully stood off Sir Edgar's rush. The latter disposed of Top'o' the Henry quit badly and Flittergold rai disappointingly.

Dr. Nelson Runs True

Woods Stockton's Dr. Nelson ran at Charlottesville, Va., evidently is a youngster of some class.

First race, purse, \$500; two-year-olds; selling \$3.70, \$2.60, \$2.80, won; Rey Ennis, 107 My Girl and Sally Boots also ran.

Fell.

Third race, purse, \$500; three-year-olds and ward; selling; five and one-half furiengs-rmont, 102 (Parrington), \$5.70, \$5.10, \$4.00, m.; King Worth, 114 (Buxton), \$3.50, \$3.20, ond; Redland, 116 (Anderson), \$5, third.

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Fourth race, Philadelphis handicap; \$1,500 added; three-year-olds and upward; six furiongs—A. N. Akin, 108 (Robinson), \$20.29, \$3.80, \$7.70, won; Sir Edgar, 106 (Keogh), \$3.90, \$3.70, second; Top o' the Morning, 123 (Buxton), \$7.50, third. Time, 1.13. Prince Henry, Flittergold, J. J. Lillis, Anita, Achievement and Carbide also ran.

Fifth race, purse, \$500; four-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile and seventy yards—ida Claire, 109 (Keogh), \$4.40, \$3.50, \$2.60, won; Budweiser, 106 (Keisay), \$3.50, \$2.80, second: Tameriane, 112 (Doyle), \$2.80, third. Time, 1.46 1-5. Charles Francis, Chevron, Ed Weiss and Shepherdess also ran.

Sixth race, purse, \$500; two-year-olds; four furiongs—Dr. Nelson, 115 (Farehand), \$5, \$4.30, \$2.60, won: Hasty Cora, 112 (Troxier), \$5.40, \$2.60, won: Hasty Cora, 112 (Troxier), \$5.40, \$2.60, second; Nonesuch, 110 (Butwell), \$2.40, third. Time, 0.45 4-5. Dungs Din, Kingsher, Bondage, Cousin Dan and Magnetina also ran.

Seventh race, purse, \$500; three-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile and a sixteenth—Luther, 112 (Butwell) \$4.50, \$3.40, \$3. won; Good Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$3.40, \$3.40, \$3. won; Good Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$3.40, \$4.00, \$4.00, \$0.00 (Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$3.40, \$4.00, \$4.00 (Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$3.40, \$4.00, \$4.00 (Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$3.40, \$4.00, \$4.00 (Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$4.50, \$4.00 (Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$4.50, \$4.00 (Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$4.50 (Counsel, 104 (Lyke), \$4.50 (Counsel, 105 (Lafferty), \$7, third. Time, 1.45 1.5 (Videt, Menlo Park, Lochiel and Napler also ran.

FRED MURRAY STARS.

Breaks World Record in 120-Yard High Hurdles.

BERKELEY, Cal., April 22.-Fred Murray, Stanford University's track star, today won the 120-yard high hurdles in the world's record time of 15 seconds flat, and also took first in the 100-yard dash and in the 220-yard sprint at the Pacific Coast Association champion-ship held on the New California oval California won the meet with a tota of eighty-five points, Stanford was sec-ond with sixty-one.

Pitcher Marion Slips Back.

BLOOMINGTON, III., April 22 .- Pitch er Don Marion of Milwaukee, with the American Association teams for several years previously, today signed with the Bloomington club of the Three I's League.

Outpointed, 66 to 56.

Hurdles and Weight Events, However.

val Academy field and track athletes went down to defeat before the University of Virginia in a prettily contested

ners, taking practically all of the points in the dash events, but the Vircompetitions and were far superior to the Sailors, especially in the hurdles and weight events. They grabbed all three places in the hammer and discus throws and first and second in the shot-put. One Naval Academy record honor was not taken by a midshipman. This was the half-mile run, in which hits produced the final tallies.

Navy, second; Allen, Virginia, third. Time, 4.452-5.

Relay race—Won by Navy (Ericason, Morris, Thompson, Withers); Virginia runners, Minor, Round, Goodwyn, Norris. Time, 3.34.

Field events.—High jump—Won by Archer, Virginia; Nickels, Virginia, second; Jeffries, Navy, third. Height, 5 feet 4 inches.

Broad jump—Won by Chapline, Navy; Beasley, Virginia, second; Drummond, Virginia, third. Distance, 21 feet 7 inches.

Shot-put—Won by Barker, Virginia; H. Coleman, Virginia, second; Webb, Navy, third. Distance, 39 feet 11½ inches.

Hammer throw—Won by Barker, Virginia; H. Coleman, Virginia, second; Conyers, Virginia, third. Distance, 116 feet 10 inches.

Discus throw—Won by Barker, Virginia; Conyers, Virginia, second; H. Coleman, Virginia, third. Distance, 116 feet 10 inches.

Pole vault—Williams and Mackee, Navy, tied for first; Metsell and Moore, Navy, tied for third. Height, 11 feet.

Defeat Yale Over Mile and a Half Course on Schuylkill.

VICTORS BY A LENGTH

Dark Blue's Junior Crew Outrows Penn Juniors by Quarter of a Length.

PHILADELPHIA, April 22.- The University of Pennsylvania varsity eightpared shell crew defeated Yale over the mile-and-a-half course on the Schuylkill river here today by close to length of open water. Yale's junior crew beat Pennsylvania's juniors by a quarter of a length. Today's races were Pennsylvania's first under the coaching of Joe Wright, the Canadian oarsman, and the victory of the varsity eight gave great satisfaction to the followers

of the Quaker crews.

Beth varsity crews got away together at the start, each doing considerable splashing. Pennsylvania, propelled by the fast and powerful strokes of Harry Ross, struck a forty to the minute clip. Yale, whose pace was set by Harriman, rowing somewhat slower, kept pace with Pennsylvania for a quarter mile. Neither was able to gain any advantage in the first half mile, but starting at this point Pennsylvania man, rowing somewhat slower, kept pace with Pennsylvania for a quarter mile. Neither was able to gain any advantage in the first half mile, but starting at this point Pennsylvania began to forge ahead and slowly left the blue of Yale in the rear. At the mile Pennsylvania was leading by a quarter of a length of open water, which was increased as the crew approached the finish. Pennsylvania's time was 7 minutes 30 seconds.

and a two-base hit by Flynn sent him to third, With men on second and third Whooley hit a sacrifice fly to left deal and third Whooley hit a sacrifice fly to left deal and third Whooley hit a sacrifice fly to left deal and mitchell scored, Flynn amoment later. Siegert was the only one of the home players to solve successfully Curry's delivery, getting a double and two singles out of three trips to the plate. Score:

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proached the finish. Pennsylvania's time was 7 minutes 30 seconds.
Yale's junior crew led the Pennsylvania juniors throughout their race, Yale's time was 7:28 2-5.
The difference in time between the varsity and junior races was due to a change in conditions. The juniors had a wind at their back, while the varsity race was rowed in a calm.

Bethlehem Defeats Pullmans of Chicago, 2 to 1, in Semi-Finals for Cup.

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., April 22.-The Bethlehem soccer foot ball team defeated the Pullmans of Chicago here today, 2 to 1, in the semi-final game for the cup emblematic of the United States

Bethlehem had the better of the first period, scoring a goal when Clarke, cener forward, headed the ball into the net. The second period was aggressively tied the score. S. Govier, center halfback, making the goal. The winning goal was nade just a minute before, the game ended. Three corner kicks in succession availed nothing for Bethlehem, but the fourth that immediately followed proved successful. Graham. inside left, took the kick, and in the scrimmage Morrison, left halfback, kicked the winning goal. Bethlehem will meet the Fall River Rovers for the championship.

Russell Ford a Free Agent.

NEW YORK, April 22.-Russell Ford, who three years ago was considered one of the best pitchers in the game, was given his unconditional release by he New York American League base

Navy Field and Track Athletes Holy Cross Hits Ball Hard and Scores Five Runs.

MIDDIES BEST IN DASHES DONNELLAN IS A PUZZLE

Southerners Prove Superiority in the Holds Locals Down to Three Hits and Is Given Fine Support by Teammates.

> Catholic University was defeated 5-0 by Holy Cross at the Brookland field yesterday in a slow and listless game. The visiting team scored in the first sent a slow roller to Caffrey, who fumbled it and then threw wild to first.

more runs. In C. U.'s half of this inning son was then sent in to pitch for C. U. fell as a result of the meet, though the He fanned the first two batters, but then a base on balls followed by three

Totals....30 3 27 12 Totals....38 10 27 8

Drop Well Played Ball Game to **Boston College.**

UNABLE TO HIT CURRY

Contest Is Pitchers' Battle Between That Hurler and Chi-

Boston College won from the Maryand Agricultural College yesterday by of 3 to 0. Curry's fine pitch ng and some lucky breaks gave the Bostonians the victory. Twice with drives and double plays followed.

With the exception of one inning in which Chichester was hit for a single and a double, the contest was a fine pitchers' battle, with neither team able to solve the delivery of the opposing hurler consistently. The visitors go one of their three runs in the second. and two in the sixth. In the second, coller, Chichester to Oberlin, Wholley was walked. He went to second when Oberlin made a good stop of Cote's grounder at first, and got a put-out Whooley took third on a wild pitch and scored on a single by Donnelly. Fitzgerald was an easy out. An erro put Mitchell on first base in the sixth

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Boston College.... 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0-3 Runs-Mitchell, Flynn, Whelley, Errors-Knode, Mess, Mitchell, Cote. Two-base hits—Biegert, Dearstyne, Cole, Flynn, Bacrifice hits—Dearstyne, Oberlin, Wholley (2). Double plays—Donnelly to Fitzgerald; Mitchell to Regan. First base on balls—Off Curry, 1; off Chichester, 2. First base on errors—M. A. C., 2; Boston, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Chichester (Mitchell), Struck out—By Curry, 3; by Chichester, 3. Wild pitch—Chichester. Umpire—Mr. Handiboe. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

Totals.... 29 5 27 10 Totals.... 29

CATCHER HAS FRIENDS.

Kelly of Cardinals Presented With Flowers on Opening Day.

ST. LOUIS, April 22.-The St. Lou Cardinals have a young catcher who has een overlooked in doping the team, but Kelly and he was the star receiver on the printers' team from Indianapolis that won the championship cup offered by Garry Herrmann. On the opening day in St. Louis a delegation of printers presented

CITY SERIES A FAILURE.

Yankees and Giants Not Likely to Play for Title Next Spring. NEW YORK, April 22.—The fixele of

the Manhattan spring series between the Giants and Yankees probably means that the managers of the clubs concerned won't play anything of the kind again, ball club today. Ford jumped to the even if the major leagues do not adopt Federal League from the Yankees and was turned back to that club by the Buffalo Federals today because of the Federal's inability to dispose of him. He was immediately declared a free agent by the Yankees.

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By J. ED GRILLO.

Christy Mathewson's recovery seems to be assured. McGraw's twirler warms up every day at the Polo Grounds and seems to show a lot of stuff. He is being closely watched by fans and players, and it is the general opinion that it is only a matter of time when he will be able to take his turn on the mound and help the Giants to a lot of victories. Matty, it is said, has adopted a spitter which will prove most puzzling when he starts to pitch.

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Last year "Big Six" could not raise his right leg when in a pitching motion without suffering the most excruciating pain in his neck, due to neuritis, but he is getting himself in good shape this spring and expects to be able to use his limbs as of old and not suffer the slightest pain.

Braves. The Phillies will "ride" to just as soon as Hunter, one of my young players, recovers the use of an injured hand I will try him at third base," said John McGraw the other day, after Bill McKeehnie had not had a good day. "Hunter split his hand a good day. "Hunter split his hand a limb success by playing ball. The ging procused from the stand that Judge had beaten the throw by feet.

The Phillies, in an unguarded passage of their oral flight yesterday, wounded to their oral flight yesterday, wounded to the pride and dignity of Willyum Klem. Last year "Big Six" could not raise his right leg when in a pitch-

"Just as soon as Hunter, one of my young players, recovers the use of an injured hand I will try him at third base," said John McGraw the other day, after Bill McKechnie had not had a good day. "Hunter split his hand a couple of weeks ago and the wound has near healed. He also is practicing lightly, but he can't hold a bat yet. I have a high opinion of Hunter, and as soon as he gets a chance he will make a good. He is a promising hitter, a capable fielder and very fast.

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"I have the best prospects in six years, and if I don't make a winning team and if I don't make a winning team out of it I shall be very much surprised. The cold weather has crippled my pitching staff, but that cannot last forever. We are strong at the bat and fast on the bases. Kauff is a great player, but is overanxious. He is crazy to make good with the New York public. Kauff is one of the finest little fellows I have ever met. Roush is a natural I have ever met. Roush is a natural batsman and a splendid outfielder, and Rariden is a splendid catcher. These few defeats at this time will do the Glants good, but we will soon be whipping the other fellows."

Pat Moran yesterday said the experience his team gained in last year's campaign would help the Phillies immeasurably. The champions are playing with remarkable confidence this spring. They are showing a knowledge of inside ball, and they should not be overlooked. The way Bancroft and Cravath worked the squeeze play in the cighth inning vesterday was an experience. Cravath worked the squeeze play in the eighth inning yesterday was an excellent illustration of this fact. Yet Moran is on the lookout for new men. He has not employed an army of scouts to comb the bush leagues, but he is keeping his eyes open for capable players who may be let out by other major league clubs when they are forced to do their cutting. He wants another hard-hitting outfielder, and he is said to have one in sight whom he will sign in a few days.

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Moran's handling of the Phillies shows that he is one of the greatest managers the game has ever produced. He is fairly worshiped by his players, who heed his words of wisdom like a lot of well behaved schoolboys.

The Phillies, barring accidents, will make a powerful fight for this year's pennant. They are anxious to make a big lead now and stay in front for the remainder of the game.

Hempstead, the head of the New York club, will, in due time, when the Giants get to winning, be rewarded for his liberal policy of strengthening the Giants. Hempstead spent nearly \$70,000 to give McGraw a winner. It took this amount to get the Federal League to turn over Kauff, Roush, Rariden, Anderson and McKechnie. These men have strengthened the Giants beyond a question of doubt. Without Hempstead's aid McGraw's team would have been a joke in the present campaign.

He and Delaney Kill 89 Birds Out of 100 at Analostan

Club Shoot.

E. W. Ford and W. D. Delaney tied for high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100 high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100 high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100 high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100 high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100 high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100 high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100 high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100 high honors at the weekly shoot of the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 b

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One of the greatest tactical errors committed by the New York base ball club this season was submission to a playing schedule that gave the Giants eight games with the Phillies out of the first eleven dates in April. This now uppears to be a grave mistake—from a New York standpoint. The Giants, an eighth-place team last fall, did not figure to extract much nourishment out of eight games with the pennant winners right off the bat.

Casting aside all "ifs" and "buts" and eighth inning alibis, the fact remains that the Phillies are in first place because five of their first seven games were with the Giants. By the same token, the fact remains that the Giants are in last place because five of their first seven games were with the giants are in last place because five of their first seven games are with the phillies.

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Success has gone to the vocal cords of the Phillies. They "ride" players of opposing teams from the bench and take liberties with umpires. It is a habit that grows on pennant winners. The older they get the less they hustle and the more they rely on the gift of gab. The Phillies affect that same attitude of scorn and arrogance for which the Boston and arrogance for which the Boston Braves were noted until they lost their championship airs. It is a failing peculiar to championship teams. The Giants, when they basked in their own sunny confidence, were just as uppish. They are chastened now and so are the

"Somebody is getting too fresh over here," articulated the indignant ar-bitrator, looking Pat Moran in the eye.

all of three steps before a chance shot winged him.

"Never mind about that trip around the world," he said, whirling around and addressing no one in particular. Then, frowning ominously, he retraced those three steps.

"I told you last fall about that trip around the world," he exploded, "and I don't want to hear any more about it."

This last remark appeared to be addressed directly to Bill Killifer.

If Mr. Killifer doubts that Mr. Klem went around the world with the base ball tourists why doesn't he ask John McGraw or Larry Doyle who were members of the globe-trotting expedition? Why take time out on these cool afternoons to settle those old arguments?

He and Delaney Kill 89 Birds Out

the Analostan Gun Club yesterday afternoon. Each killed 89 birds out of 100. Ford won in the shoot-off with 23 down, against Delaney's 21 out of 25.

Ford opened the program with 15 straight and lost but one bird out of 15 in the record event. He got 18 out

event, but was not entitled to two prizes, as he won the high average prize. Ford got 47 out of 50 in the spoon shoot. Scores: SINGLE TARGETS.

HARPER HAS HAD ILL LUCK PITCHING AGAINST RAY FISHER

the only time he faced Harper he was struck out, so Manager Donovan concluded that Pipp would not be of any help to the team for the day, and he sent Mullen to the initial sack in the third inning. Mullen duplicated Pipp's performance and also struck out. In fact, he did not take kindly to Harper's offerings and was out easily on all of

will inderinally improve. There is nothing more discouraging than a batting slump which will not leave. Judge is game and is not annoyed by the fact that he is not getting his share of hits, but he is yearning for the day when things will begin to break his way.

here," articulated the indignant arbitrator, looking Pat Moran in the eye.
"If I hear any more of it you all march.
Do you get me, hey?"

To show his contempt for the athletes, Klem then turned his back and took all of three steps before a chance shot winged him.

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Herman Schaefer spands all his time on the coaching lines, where he utters words of encouragement to his teammates at the bat and on the bases. But he is not pulling strictly to the coaching business.

The fact of the matter is that since Schaefer has seen Sawyer perform he has no desire to enter into competition with the Washington comedian, and he would prefer to play a straight part rather than create the impression that he is no longer a comedian and can't be funny.

Following the Yankees here come the Athletics for a series of four games and the Mackmen, having won two straight, now are apt to be troublesome here. They usually are. Though Mack did not have much of a team last year he kept the Nationals busy trying to beat him. There still is considerable strength on the Athletics team. Strunk, McInniss, Oldring and Lajoie, as well as Schang, are players who are apt to break up a ball game at any time with the bat.

Connie's pitchers, too, have shown better form of late, and it is not unlikely that he will give the Nationals quite a tussie during his stay here.

The Boston Red Sox come after the Mackmen have finished and it will not be at all surprising if Griffith uses pothing but the Nationals and the surprising if Griffith uses be at all surprising if Griffith uses nothing but left-handers against the Sox, who seem to be practically help-less when a left-hander is on the

mound.

Boston fell before Harper and Boehling, and by the time they come here Bentley will be in fine form and will take his turn on the rubber. Manager Griffith has made arrange

GROTTO TEAM HUSTLING.

Will Get Lots of Practice Before Tackling Shrine Nine. Apparently the Grtto nine, which will

face the Shrine team in the annual Park Saturday, June 17, has gotten the bulge on its rival in the way of ear's preparation. But those who know Care Louis C. Wilson, disbursing officer " the District, declare that the man with presides over the Shrine forces been very busy on the quiet, and that the Grotto leaders need to hustle and to start early and work late if they are to be the winners of the battle which is for the benefit of the Masonio and Eastern Star Home.

In appointing Andy Walker captain of his forces, William F. Gude, the leader of the Grotto, made a wise move. Walker already has obtained a high-class aggregation of players, and has entered them in the Rosedale League. This will give his team six weeks of play before the big contest, and means that the Shrine will have to take some

that the Shrine will have to take some strenuous measures to keep pace with its rivals.

A number of innovations to be sprung before and during the game are in the making by the Masters' Association committee, which is composed of Wil-liam Clabaugh, chairman; Perry P. Pat-rick and Frank M. Scott.

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